

Title	Local Psychotropic Medication Forms (amend Cal. Rules of Court, rule 1432.5).
Summary	The proposed amendment to rule 1432.5 eliminates the requirement for courts to submit their local supplemental psychotropic medication forms for approval and clarifies that mandatory Judicial Council forms must be used.
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Discussion	Rule 1432.5(h) currently requires that local protocols and forms that are consistent with rule 1432.5 must be submitted to the Judicial Council for approval for use in that county. The intention of subdivision (h) was to approve supplemental forms to be used as addenda to forms JV-220 and JV-220A, which were adopted for mandatory use on January 1, 2001. The language of subdivision (h) has been misinterpreted as providing a mechanism for local courts to use local forms in place of the mandatory Judicial Council Forms. The proposed amendment eliminates the requirement for submission and approval of local forms and clarifies the requirement that the mandatory council forms must be used but may be supplemented with local court forms.
	<i>Attachments</i>

Rule 1432.5 of the California Rules of Court would be amended, effective January 1, 2003, to read:

Rule 1432.5. Psychotropic medications

(a)–(g) ***

(h) [~~Local protocol~~ Forms] The Judicial Council Form *Application for Order for Psychotropic Medication—Juvenile (JV-220)* and *Opposition to Application for Order for Psychotropic Medication—Juvenile (JV-220A)* may be supplemented with ~~L~~local protocols and forms that are consistent with this rule ~~must be submitted to the Judicial Council for approval for use in that county.~~

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